

March 15, 2010

Darcy L. Endo-Omoto Vice President Government & Community Affairs

The Honorable Chairman and Members of the Hawaii Public Utilities Commission 465 South King Street Kekuanaoa Building, 1st Floor Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Commissioners:

Subject: Docket No. 2006-0387

MECO 2007 Test Year Rate Case

Extension Request for Filing Calibration Factor Annual Report for Year 2009

The Stipulated Settlement Letter executed by Maui Electric Company, Limited ("MECO" or "the Company") and the Division of Consumer Advocacy of the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs (the "Consumer Advocate") (collectively referred to as the "Parties") and filed with the Commission on December 7, 2007 in the above subject proceeding, states in paragraph 7 that MECO will file annual reports on its calibration factor.

MECO respectfully requests an extension from March 15, 2010 until April 7, 2010 to file its calibration factor annual report for year 2009. The additional time is being requested because much of the same resources at MECO and Hawaiian Electric Company, Inc. are also working on the MECO 2010 Test Year Rate Case (Docket No. 2009-0163), as well as on negotiations with First Wind and Sempra Energy to integrate additional wind energy onto the Maui grid. As requested by the Consumer Advocate, the Company will also provide a preliminary calibration factor report to the Consumer Advocate by March 19, 2010.

If you have any questions, please call Dean Matsuura at 543-4622.

Sincerely,

- Darcy L. Endo-Omoto

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